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Customer No. 38263

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Banfi *et al.*

Group Art Unit: 1624

Application No.: 10/580,145

Examiner: B. L. Coleman

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For: PROCESS FOR PREPARING
OXCARBAZEPINE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina
August 3, 2009

Dear Sir:

In response to the-non final Office Action dated April 1, 2009, kindly consider the following amendments and remarks. Also enclosed is a Petition for a one-month Extension of Time with credit card form to extend the due date to August 1, 2009 (Saturday).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.